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BEST WISHES TO ONE AND ALL FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPINESS IN 1959



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YOU AND YOURS
DURING 1959

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Wassail bowl for Auld Lang Syne

The Wassail bowl goes around in Scotland—and elsewhere — at New Year's time.

The origin of the custom is really lost in antiquity: Saxon ancestors probably quaffed their ale from the polished skulls of defeated enemies, and the Rowena legend must be classified as "presumably fiction."

Rowena is reported to have offered her father's guest—Prince Vortigren—a bowl of wine with the salutation "Lord King, wass-hael," literally, "To Your Health." Draining the bowl with one draught, Vortigren fell in love with Rowena and they lived happily ever after.

Anyway, in time the bowl itself became an ornament of graceful design—decorated with branches of greenery which formed a canopy over the bowl. The mixture within was warm and included ale, sugar, spices, sweetened wine was added by hosts who could afford it, apples floated on top of the decoction, some times called "lamb's wool" or the "old man's beard." The poorer classes carried a bowl decorated with ribbons around the neighborhood, begging that it be filled, so they, too, might enjoy the Wassail.

The custom of making short calls on New Year's Day was in full swing throughout America about 1900. Newspapers carried columns of "at home" notices specifying the hours during which visitors would be received. A succession of "open houses" and punch bowls sometimes minimized the courtesy accorded to hostess — receptions were often "crashed" by bibulous strangers; hence, the publicly announced "open house" custom has fallen into decline and, New Year's calls now being exchanged only by intimates, the Wassail bowl goes 'round in private.

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

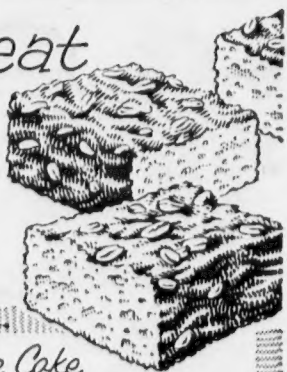
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Sift dry ingredients into yeast mixture and stir until well blended—about 1 minute. 4. Spoon mixture into prepared cake pan. Cover. Let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk—about 1 1/2 hours. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°, about 35 minutes. Turn out of pan immediately. Serve warm.



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The Ladies' Curling Club met on Monday Dec. 8th. Following officers were elected:
President.....Millie Poole
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Hospital patients include Bud Anderson and Mrs. V. Maruzus in the Calgary General and Mrs. Van Loon in Drumheller Hospital.

Mrs. Cecil Patterson (formerly Millie Livingston) of Calgary suffered a slight stroke and is in a Calgary hospital.

Mrs. V. Maruzus is a patient in the Calgary General hospital.

Mr. Kincaid of San Francisco, California passed away at the home of his son at the age of 80 years. He was the brother of Mrs. Ferguson and uncle of Vern Kary.

The H.S.A. held a very enjoyable Christmas Party following their meeting Dec. 11th. A play was put on by Mrs. Kitchenmaster's pupils & Bonnie Ohlhauser "Father Changes His Mind." Several games were played and the evening closed with a lovely lunch.

The Canadian Legion 161 held a joint installation and Christmas Party with the Ladies' Auxiliary 161 on Monday evening. A beautiful turkey buffet supper was served.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnes are leaving Tuesday by air to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of their parents at Vancouver, B.C.

A very nice Community Party was held on Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Basil O'Rourke. The evening was spent in musical numbers, again Reg Trepanier was the star of the evening. Leo Trepanier presented the guests of honor with a lovely chrome kitchen set from the community. Basil and Laura then thanked everyone, and the evening closed in the usual manner. M.C. was Leo Trepanier and Mrs. Torrance was pianist.

GAMBLE NEWS

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Safe-Driving
Week Dec. 1 to 7

Safe-Driving Week, a national campaign to impress the motorist and pedestrian with his responsibility, as an individual, in preventing traffic accidents, will be sponsored nationally by the Canadian Highway Safety Conference this year from December first to seventh, inclusive.

Safe-Driving Week has been given the support of the Governor General and the Prime Minister. Participating will be the Premiers of all the provinces, safety organizations, police forces, the judiciary, public service groups, women's organizations and many others.

George B. Kenney, chairman of the Canadian Highway Safety Conference, has called on every motorist and pedestrian to co-operate. "Make an honest effort," he asked them, "to get through Safe-Driving Week without a single traffic accident. If you can do it for a week, you can do it for a year. We appeal to every driver and every walker to make Safe-Driving Week 1958 an outstanding success."

Mr. Kenney referred to a recent forecast of 3,400 traffic deaths in Canada in 1958 and added, "More than 90 percent of those deaths could be prevented if the individual driver and walker realized his responsibility, as an individual, in driving and walking safely."

Be a safe driver—walk with care and drive with care.

IN THE HOME
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Greeting cards

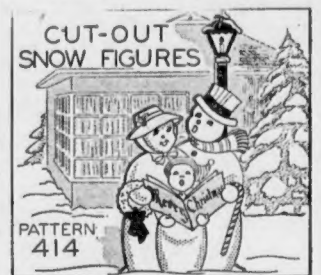
Have fun making your own greeting cards with a truly personal touch. Pattern 248, which gives more than a dozen designs to trace and color in realistic effects.



fects just by following numbers, is 40c. This pattern also is in the Make-It-Yourself Christmas Packet 48 containing many different projects all for \$1.75.

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Quaint and gay this life-size snow family at your doorstep will bring cheer to the whole neighborhood. Pattern 414 gives actual-size cutting and painting guides



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Home Workshop Patterns,
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1/2 tsp. salt

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Mix in
1/2 c. chopped pitted dates
1/4 c. chopped nuts
Combine
2 well-beaten eggs
1 1/4 c. milk
1/2 c. crushed pineapple (drained from a 15-ounce can)

4 tbsps. shortening, melted
1 tsp. vanilla
Make well in dry ingredients; stir in liquids gradually, adding milk, if necessary, to make a medium-thin batter. Bake as pancakes or waffles. Serve with butter and this sauce: Combine in a small saucepan 2 tbsps. flour and 2 tbsps. sugar. Stir in remaining pineapple and juice, 1/2 tsp. vanilla and 1/4 c. water. Cook, stirring, until sauce is smoothly thickened.
Yield—5 or 6 servings.

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PCs show continuing enthusiasm

Someone recently remarked on the great change in Saskatchewan's political climate since the years when John Diefenbaker and Alvin Hamilton constituted a "good Tory meeting," and when the addition of one hopeful supporter to the indomitable pair made a provincial convention.

The Progressive Conservative reception in the Canadian Legion Hall to honor the party's new provincial leader, Martin Pederson, and his wife Kay, underlined and emphasized that change.

About 250 persons turned out, despite the counter-attraction of a hockey game at the Arena and the temptation to watch "Cavalcade of Sports" on TV at home in warm, solid comfort.

There was a cheerful, confident air about the proceedings. Large pictures of Prime Minister Diefenbaker decorated the walls and a big printed sign hailed Martin Pederson as the man who could lead the party to victory in the 1960 provincial elections.

The crowd wasn't quite as big but it was just as enthusiastic as that which thronged the Riversdale PC committee room last March 31 to celebrate the election of Harry Jones and the unprecedented national victory sweep of the PCs at the polls in the federal elections.

There weren't any political speeches, but there were political conversations aplenty buzzing round the hall.

Introduced by Saskatoon PC president Ted Hughes as "the man chosen to lead our party to victory in this province," Mr. Pederson said he was "overwhelmed by the warmth and goodwill shown me," warned the crowd that the price of victory was hard work.

The audience applauded the brief informal remarks of the blonde, former farm boy from Hawarden. They clapped again when his wife joined her thanks to those of her husband. And they roared approval when his mother, Mrs. Borghild Pederson, who had come in from Hawarden for the occasion, was asked to come forward.

Mayor Sid Buckwold extended congratulations and best wishes to Mr. Pederson on behalf of the citizens of Saskatoon who were "proud to see a Saskatonian chosen as leader of a party."

Mrs. G. W. Beck, president of the PC women's association in Saskatoon, thanked party supporters for their good turnout.

For those who attended, the evening was a lively sample of the "new look" the Conservative party is wearing nowadays. The crowd represented a good cross-section of the party supporters, old and new. They weren't all Saskatonians. Sandy MacPherson of Regina, one of Mr. Pederson's rivals for the leadership, was there to wish the successful contender good luck.

Other out-of-town party stalwarts included Senator Arthur Pearson of Lumsden, Ed Nasserden, MP for Rosthern, Reynold Rapp, MP for Humboldt-Melfort, and Ariel Salows of North Battleford.

Many of the oldtimers who shared the struggle to keep the party alive were obviously enjoying its rejuvenation. But there were many new faces, and a strong contingent of youth.

Among the veterans drinking coffee, eating dainties prepared by a hard-working contingent of PC

(The Carillon News, Steinbach, Man.)



THIS HUGE WHITE SWAN is the constant companion and pride and joy of Paul Van Raes of LaBroquerie. Mr. Van Raes exerts a strange power over the feathered folk and the animals

too. He has a dog which is partly coyote and the deer take sanctuary on his farm.

Alberta legislature to sit starting February 5

The fifth session of the Thirtieth Alberta Legislature will open February 5.

The impressive opening ceremony will be highlighted by the Speech From The Throne, delivered by the Hon. Dr. J. J. Bowlen, Lieutenant Governor of the Province. The speech outlines the legislative program to be presented by the government. The annual sessions of the legislature usually last about six weeks but a heavy program of legislation is expected to be placed before the members this year and this may extend this session for a longer period. "Within Our Borders".

women, and chatting about politics were Mrs. G. W. A. Potter, Vernon Gaunt, L. Carley and Tom Girvin. Mrs. Reg Meacham, "a long-time Conservative," was busy brewing coffee in the kitchen. Ald. Lillie Bowman, PC candidate in the 1956 provincial election, was there.

Rupert Ramsay, provincial PC leader from 1944 to 1949, and an unsuccessful candidate in two provincial elections and one by-election, looked happily at the buzzing crowd. Mervyn Woods, provincial PC president for three years dating from 1945, was an interested participant. A. V. Svoboda, immediate past president of the provincial PCs, chatted quietly.

Among the oldtimers was a newcomer to Saskatoon, Donald Sutherland Bremner, who told a reporter proudly: "I've been a Conservative for 68 years."

It was an enthusiastic social evening with a strong political underlay. Would the enthusiasm last out the year and a half before Saskatchewan goes to the polls again? "It'll increase," predicted one. "Time will tell," said another.—C. McG.

Geese find haven on Van Raes farm

By Paul Van Raes

Domesticating wild Canada geese, swans and songbirds, and generally taming nature; that's the hobby, pastime, and practically the sole occupation of Paul Van Raes of LaBroquerie, Man. Paul keeps his menagerie of 45 Canada geese, a large white swan, a dog that is half coyote, a hutch of white rabbits, a family of bantam chickens and several families of cats, at his farm about five miles northeast of LaBroquerie.

Vehicle caravan

Judging by the appearance of Paul's yard, he likes collecting horse drawn vehicles just as well as keeping stock. His small yard boasts no fewer than two demerats, a rubber tired Bennett buggy, a cutter, a light standard sized buggy, a two wheeled gig, and two heavier farm wagons, eight in all. To pull this caravan of equipment, Paul just has one team of horses—but they're dandies. Like all the other animal life around Paul's place, they get the best of care and treatment, Mr. Van Raes sees to that.

Canada geese

The Canada geese, most of which were born right on the Van Raes homestead, inhabit a beautiful cool home-made pond out behind the barn. Paul had this pond specially built at considerable cost for his birds. He regards them as his intimate friends. Big ganders with black neck bands, birds that look as alike as two peas to anyone else, Paul calls by their first names. "Pat, Pat," he shouts. A gander separates itself from the flock and slides confidently toward its master.

Strange power

Van Raes seems to exert some strange power over these wild creatures, customarily considered

too wild for domestication. Even his dog is half a coyote and actually looks more like a coyote and acts more like a coyote than it does like a dog. It shows less fear of men, however. It warns Paul of a stranger's approach with the high pitched yap of a coyote rather than the full throatied bark of a dog. "Moose" (that's what Mr. Van Raes calls his tame coyote), is a better mouser than many a tame cat. He evidently inherited this ability to supply his own board from his daddy who inhabited the bush out east of LaBroquerie. At any rate, Moose keeps the place pretty well free of rats and mice.

The cats, on the other hand, live inside the house with their master to keep him company. "Here, you look hungry," says Van Raes, as he reaches a plumb sardine from a tin and drops it onto a plate on the kitchen floor. Half a dozen felines leap for the prize.

Forbidden territory

The living room is forbidden territory for the cats. That's where Paul keeps his bird cage. Just at present, he has a pair of birds which he caught in his back yard. He identifies them from a much used bird book as "purple finches."

Few parents worry any more over their children than Paul Van Raes does over his "family" of geese, swans, bantam chickens, rabbits, coyote, cats, horses, and birds. "I'm glad I found those geese again," he says wiping the sweat from his brow with his sleeve. A small covey of geese had just returned after having been away for over an hour.

Belgian parentage

Paul was born in France in 1885 of Belgian parents. He moved with them to Canada when he was 11 years old and settled near LaBroquerie. He married Ina Michaud in 1906 and they farmed for a while around LaBroquerie before moving to Winnipeg in 1913. There Paul got a job as motorman with the Winnipeg Electric, a job he held until his doctor ordered him to retire because of a heart condition in 1940.

He promptly moved back to LaBroquerie, bought a farm, and went to work to clear the land. "Why that doctor that retired me, died himself before I did," he says triumphantly. "But there are times now when I get pretty sick. I guess I'll soon have to give the place up," he adds with a note of regret in his voice.

Mrs. Van Raes, Paul's wife, stays in Vancouver with their daughter Harriet, (Mrs. Chartier of Vancouver). Another daughter, Bertha, (Mrs. Lamoureux), works in Winnipeg with MacDonald Air-

CNR tests new refrigerator car

Five prototype refrigerator cars, built almost entirely of aluminum, are being extensively tested by Canadian National Railways.

Designed by CNR and the Aluminum Company of Canada Ltd., and built by National Steel Car, the cars are over 20 percent lighter than standard refrigerator cars, a reduction of nearly seven tons.

The new units are designed to eliminate the expensive wear and tear and repainting resulting from the corrosion-causing brine solution used in the refrigerator systems of existing cars. The roof, side sheets and ends of the five cars have been left unpainted. The lightness of the cars and the consequent reduction in rolling resistance will also mean operating economies.

Four of the new cars are being tested under normal service conditions in various parts of Canada.

The fifth car, equipped with strain gauges to measure its performance under stress, is undergoing a rigorous series of tests both on the road and in the laboratory. After testing at CNR's Montreal shops and in service between Montreal and Toronto, the car will undergo accelerated fatigue and impact tests at Aluminum Laboratories Ltd., Kingston, Ont.

FUNDS FOR PREVENTION

The Christmas Seal Sale, now a source of funds for tuberculosis prevention was first used to get funds for treatment.

craft. Their only son Tom is an employee with the Department of Veterans' Affairs.—The Carillon News, Steinbach, Man.

**CHRISTMAS
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"BIRD MAN"—Even the usually wild Canada geese have learned to feel at home on the Van Raes home where the "bird man" has constructed a special pond for them. These geese are part of a flock of about 40 which like it so well with Mr. Van Raes they never even bother to fly south in the autumn.

Canadian Weekly Features

Christmas turkey business thrives

One Swift Current company is for the birds—presently employing 50 people to process turkeys enough to meet the demand of local and Canadian householders for Christmas festivities.

Local housewives are beginning to make plans for the Christmas feast, and that traditionally features delicious roast turkey with all the trimmings.

A. W. Leader, co-partner with J. D. Ironside and E. A. Kelly, of the Swift Current Produce Company, said their Banquet Turkey Farm, six miles south of Swift Current, has a present turkey population of 5,500. These are to be eviscerated, packaged, frozen and marketed by Dec. 20.

Since evisceration began at the plant last August, an additional 5,000 turkeys have already been processed from the farm, for a total of more than 10,000 for the year, as compared to only 2,800 during the first year's operation. The produce plant has been established for 35 years, while this is the fourth season for the farm.

Statistics show that each Canadian is eating two pounds of turkey per year, more than he did four years ago. And Swift Current is looking forward to a much higher increase next year. Leader says they plan to produce and process from 20,000 to 25,000 turkeys next year.

Leader said although the local demand is supplied, the greater portion of the frozen processed turkeys is shipped to markets in the larger eastern centres. And because the product is frozen there is a year-round market.

Facilities expanded

With the production expansion of Banquet Turkey farm, a new 400 by 50 feet pole barn and five brooder houses have been constructed. There is accommodation to brood from 4,000 to 6,000 turkeys at a time, and the pole barn accommodates about 6,000.

Turkey poults are brooded in batches four times a year.

After six to eight weeks in the brooder houses, they are either placed in the self-feeder pole barn, or are turned out to "range" in a fenced enclosure. Hens are eviscerated for market within six to six and one half months or at the weight of some 16 pounds, while toms are ready in about seven months, or when they weigh some 26 pounds, live weight.

With the production increase to 20,000 or more turkeys next year, Leader expects that 30,000 bushels of wheat, 5,000 bushels of oats, and 500,000 pounds of prepared concentrate will be required. Grains are purchased locally, he said.

Although markets are handling a greater amount of Christmas turkeys this season, prices are not expected to differ much, if any, from last season's. —The Sun, Swift Current, Sask.

GOOD RESPONSE TO FIRE APPEAL

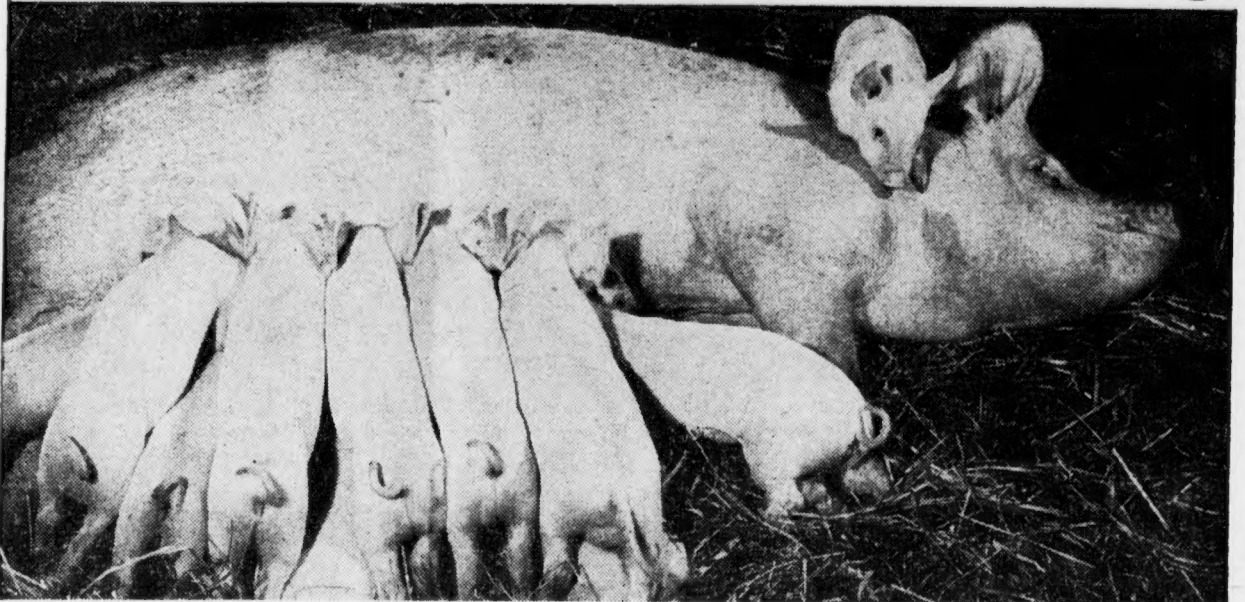
Fire Chief John F. Scott, in an effort to further emphasize fire prevention, has visited the schools in the townships protected by the Seaford Fire Area 1. He reports wonderful co-operation from the teachers, students and boards at all the schools, showing an interest in the prevention of fires.

During Fire Prevention Week in October, Fire Chief Scott distributed questionnaires to students in the schools. To date, more than 90 percent of the forms have been returned. Mr. Scott feels that this indicates a thorough check of safety measures by the student bodies, and a keen interest and desire to "stop fires before they start." —The Huron Expositor, Seaford, Ont.

The weight of a fowl after it has been dressed is about 15 to 20 percent less.

Epic of the Island Yorkshire

P.E.I.'s Made-to-Measure Hog



The dramatic success story of Prince Edward Island's Yorkshire hog is unique and perhaps unprecedented in the history of livestock production. For the past 30 years P.E.I. breeders have adhered rigidly to a carefully worked-out program designed to create one of the finest hogs

in the world. Today their efforts are paying off: the percentage of P.E.I. hogs who win the coveted *Grade A* stamp is almost twice as high as the overall Canadian average.

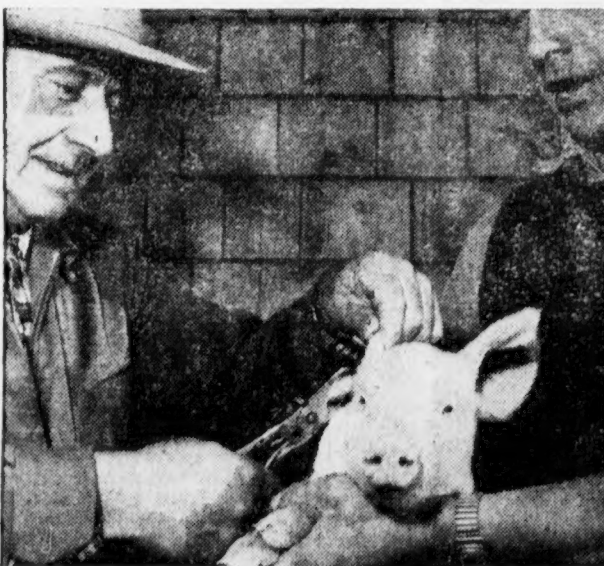
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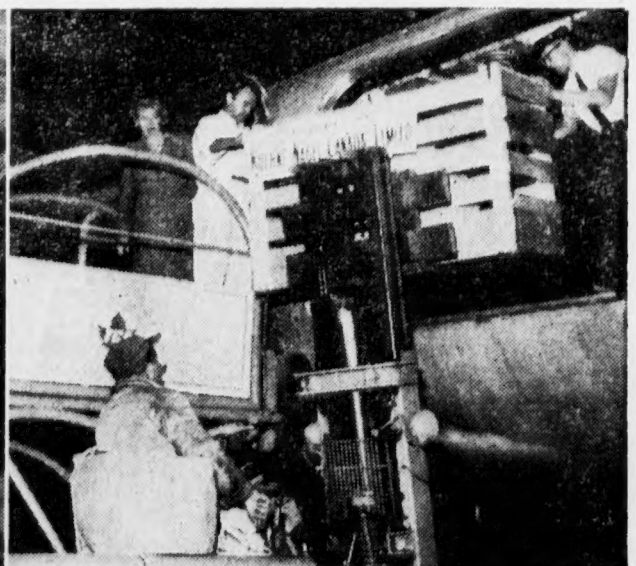
In the final analysis it is the consumer who decides which ham will command premium prices. Island Yorkshires are bred to meet the growing demand from housewives for leaner pork and bacon.



This little pig isn't going to market. Regally registered as *Royalty Lady 109M* she has been selected for shipment to Sweden where she will be used for breeding purposes. Herdsman Herman Sewuster supervises her departure.



Col. F. I. Andrew (left) tattoos herd identification on ear of month old pig. Herdsman Sewuster (right) is a recent arrival in the Maritimes from Goirle, Holland. Careful check is kept of swine from birth to maturity.



Royalty Lady gets a regal send-off from Montreal's Dorval airport as she begins the second lap of her journey to Sweden. Yorkshires are shipped to breeders all across Canada and the USA cornbelt as well as abroad.



Merry Christmas



Decorations gathered out-of-doors

At this time of year the woods are filled with potential Christmas decorations.

Graceful branches of trees and bushes bare of their leaves, pine cones and weeds of every description treated with an imagination treated with an imagination—attractive Christmas tree ornaments, centre-pieces for party tables and finery for gift wrappings.

Three or four branches with lacy twigs will form an interesting table centre-piece. Coat the branches with aluminum paint and then see what artistic arrangements can be made with the silvery twigs. This centre-piece is suitable for any time of year but at this season, tiny Christmas trees, holly leaves or poinsettias can be cut from colored paper and attached to ends of the small twigs. Colored Christmas tree balls fastened to the twigs are gay and effective.

Large pine cones are made-to-order for Christmas tree decoration. A little white paint on the tips gives a wintry touch and brightens the green tree. For the front door, a cluster of these cones tied with a bright red bow offers a warm greeting to holiday guests.

Smaller cones are perfect for decorating parcels and are a pleasant change from the traditional ribbon bows. They can be painted white, gold, silver or any color to match the paper, and grouped in twos or threes, depending on the size of the parcel.

Before painting cones or

Drowsy hen fortune teller Christmas custom

Divinations were an important part of the Christmas festivities in Czarist Russia.

After a special family Christmas dinner, the girls of the household placed five piles of grain upon the kitchen floor; each pile was given a name, such as Hope, Ring, Money, Thread and Charcoal. A drowsy hen was fetched from the henhouse and allowed to walk around the kitchen floor and choose a pile of grain.

Obviously the hen's choice of Money meant wealth; Ring, foretold a wedding within a year; and Hope, promised the fulfillment of a wish or a long journey. If the sleepy chicken chose the grain designated as Thread, a life of toil was predicted for the marriageable maiden of the household; and Charcoal was considered an omen of death in the family.

Old songs were sung to accompany such goings-on, while the girls and women vied to devise complete stories based on the antics of the hen.

branches make sure they are free of sticky sap and are perfectly dry. Then a glossy enamel or aluminum paint can be applied with a small brush.

A family-outing in the woods, followed by a painting bee can provide decorations for many Christmases to come.

GREAT DELICACY

Natives of South America eat the eggs of the lizard known as the iguana. These eggs are considered a great delicacy.



Children's Christmas prayer

Children of Provence, France, reverently recite the following prayer before the Christmas cribs in that vicinity:

Little Jesus of the Crib—

Give us the virtues of those who surround you.

Make us as philosophical as the fisherman,

Carefree as the drummer,

Merry for exploring the world as the troubadour,

Eager for work as the bugler,

Patient as the spinner,

Kind as the ass,

Strong as the ox which keeps you warm.

Give us the sacred leisure of the hunter.

Give us also the desire of the Shepherd for earthly things,

The pride of the trade of the knife grinder and the weaver,

The song of the miller.

Give us the knowledge of the Magi,

The cheerfulness of the pigeon,

The impulsiveness of the cock,

The discretion of the snail,

The meekness of the lamb.

Give us the goodness of bread,

The tenderness of the wild boar,

The salt of the haddock,

The good humor of old wine,

The ardor of the candle,

The purity of a star.

Propriety of a few of the metaphors may be disputed, nevertheless, nostalgia prompts speculation regarding a world of humanity endowed with the virtues so earnestly and innocently enumerated by the little ones.

QUICK CANADIAN QUIZ

1. Where and in what year was the first practical use of electricity in Canada?
2. What is the origin of the name of Yellowknife, N.W.T.?
3. In 1957 what was greater, the total of personal savings of Canadians or their total tax payments?
4. In what year was the first trans-Atlantic cable laid?
5. How many of Canada's 6,000,000 labor force are members of trades unions?

ANSWERS: 5. At the end of 1957 union membership totalled 1,386,185. 3. Personal savings totalled \$1.4 billion, tax payments about \$9 billion. 1. In the 1880s, in Quebec, when electricity was used to light textile mills. 4. In 1858, from Ireland to Newfoundland. 2. From a northern Indian tribe the Yellowknives, who carried brightly-colored knives made of native copper.

(Material prepared by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the pocket annual of facts about Canada)

CHRISTMAS CANDIES

Because the Christmas season is usually a period of extra candy eating, children and adults should remember that they are endangering their dental health unless the toothbrush works overtime. Teeth should be brushed immediately after eating, since particles of food especially sugars, may start to form tooth destroying acids within a few minutes.

Editorials from Canadian Weekly Newspapers

(These are not necessarily the views of the editor of this paper)

Am I an Alcoholic?

(The News, Maple Creek, Sask.)

Readers of the "Want Ad" columns of this newspaper have probably noticed the little advt. referring them to Box 5 c/o The Maple Creek News if they wish to stop drinking.

We, personally, have nothing to do with the organization (Alcoholics Anonymous) which inserted the advt., nor do we know who the members are locally—but we do know that it is an organization that should be welcomed to our midst.

In this day and age, when "social drinking" is increasing and many do not know where to stop, the need for such an organization grows day by day. Perhaps many of us should stop and ponder the question: "Am I an Alcoholic?"

For those who may be in doubt, we present 20 questions: (1) Do you lose time from work due to drinking? (2) Is drinking making your home life unhappy? (3) Do you drink because you are shy with other people? (4) Is drink affecting your reputation? (5) Have you ever felt remorse after drinking? (6) Have you gotten into financial difficulties as a result of drinking? (7) Do you turn to lower companions and an inferior environment when drinking? (8) Does your drinking make you careless of your family's welfare? (9) Has your ambition decreased since drinking? (10) Do you crave a drink at a definite time daily? (11) Do you want a drink the next morning? (12) Does drinking cause you to have difficulty in sleeping? (13) Has your efficiency decreased since drinking? (14) Is drinking jeopardizing your job or business? (15) Do you drink to escape worries or trouble? (16) Do you drink alone? (17) Have you ever had a complete loss of memory as a result of drinking? (18) Has your physician ever treated you for drinking? (19) Do you drink to build up your self-confidence? (20) Have you ever been to a hospital or an institution because of drinking?

If you have answered YES to any of the questions, there is a definite warning that you may be an alcoholic, or in danger of becoming one.

If you have answered YES to any two or three, the chances are that you ARE an alcoholic.

If you have answered YES to more than three, you are definitely an alcoholic.

Any person who finds he is an alcoholic, and wants to do something about it, is welcomed in the fellowship of AA. Write to Box 5, c/o The Maple Creek News.

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Unto the least of these

(The News-Optimist, North Battleford, Sask.)

The right to a fair chance in life for every child has always been accepted in our democratic society.

A fair chance implies an opportunity for all children to grow up in a happy and favorable environment, to be educated to the full extent of their capacities, and eventually in adulthood to make their greatest possible contributions to this nation.

Unfortunately approximately three out of every one hundred children born in this country have been denied the fair chance. They are the mentally retarded children.

Mental retardation is not a disease but a condition. In fact, mental deficiency may strike anywhere—in the palatial homes of the great and the talented or in the humble dwellings of the artisan and the laborer. Most of us know a business associate, a fellow worker, a friend or perhaps a relative whose tragic misfortune it has been to become the parent of a retarded child.

For centuries it was assumed that nothing could be done for the retarded child. Sometimes courageously, often bitterly, parents accepted their role as a life sentence to misery and shame. The unfortunate child, regarded as hopeless and worthless, sometimes was hidden away to live out a completely wasted and lonely life.

Even today, there is no accurate check on the many children who are being hidden because of fear and ignorance of the help available.

Now it is being found that MENTALLY RETARDED CHILDREN CAN BE HELPED—and happily their families also.

In these middle years of the twentieth century, society is belatedly learning a new way to fulfil the Biblical admonition:

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these My brethren, ye have done it unto Me."



Santa Claus is a man of many parts—

A Fourth Century bishop of Asia Minor—

Nicholas, patron saint of Russia—

The patron saint of children—

A jolly old elf with eight tiny reindeer—

Childhood's dream-of-dreams come true—

Legend's balm for a harsh, harried world—

A magician who brings back our youth—

Unadulterated spirit of generosity—

Saint and symbol for all the young-at-heart.



IN THE HOME WORKSHOP

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This bed-head unit offers storage space for sheets and pillow cases as well as a place for blankets below the linen trays. The directions for making it may be



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Home Workshop Patterns,
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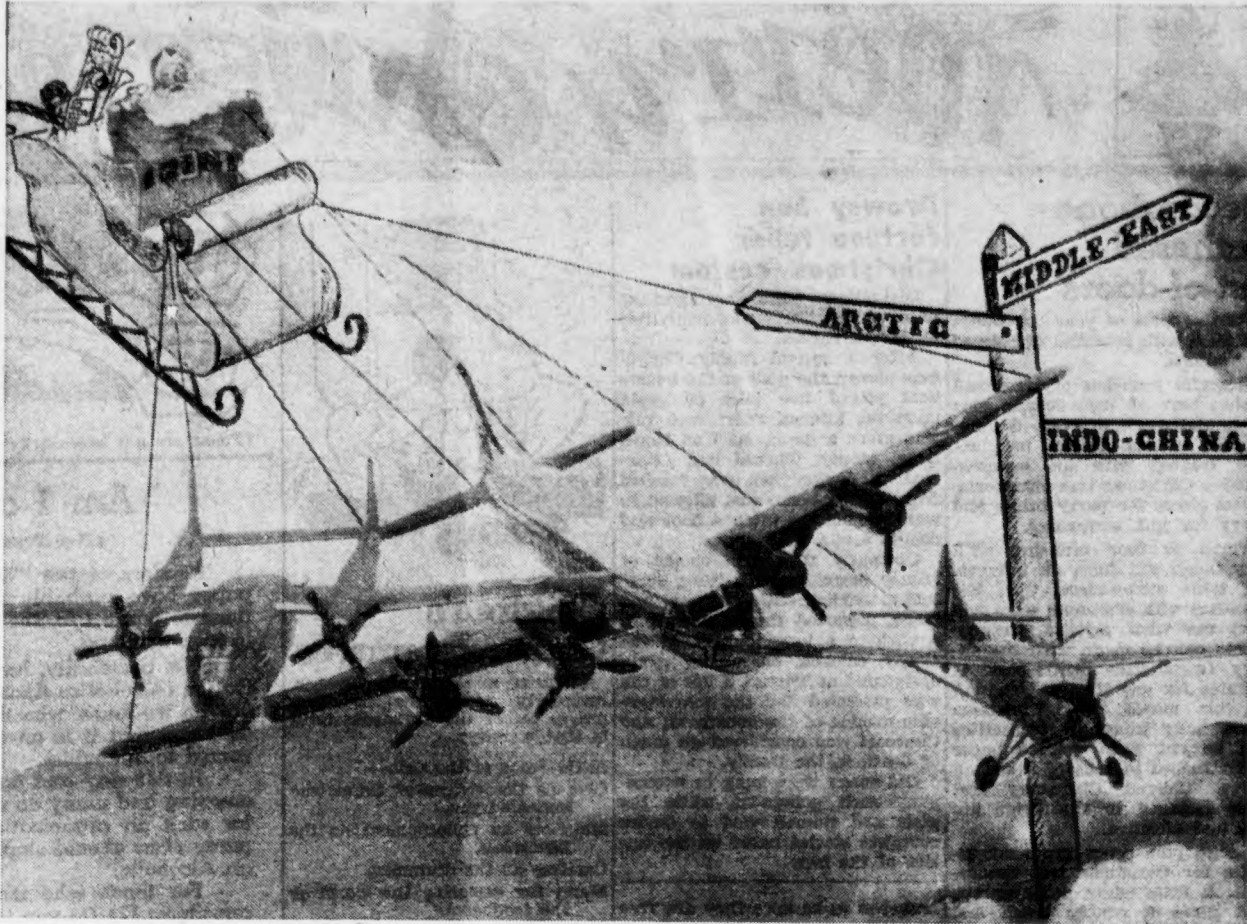
by Alice Brooks

So warm 'n' colorful! Extra-easy—afghan is knitted in alternating strips, 3 and 5 inches.

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Give safe toys this Christmas

By CHRISTIAN SMITH
Director of Health Education,
Sask. Dept. of Public Health

Among the 5,000 Saskatchewan children hurt in accidents this year a considerable number came to grief playing with toys. The figures for 1958 will not be available for some time, but every study of accidents to children has shown that toys are frequently a factor. This is not necessarily the fault of the toys, although some, doubtless, are poorly designed and some in the past have been decorated with dangerous lead-based paint. More often accidents are due to poor choice of toys, having regard to the age and development of children, and to inadequate supervision.

At the 43rd National Safety Congress in Chicago during October there was a display of toys that had brought death or injury to little children, among them the little nipple from a toy feeding bottle that choked a baby when it came loose. There was also the chewed toy telephone. A piece of celluloid from this was inhaled into a child's bronchus.

The Health Education Division of Manitoba's Department of Health and Welfare has developed a poster on which are attached a package of small candles, such as often supplied with toy stores, and another of real medical tablets which are dangerous to children. The department asked "Can baby tell the difference?"

Now that toylands have blossomed in stores everywhere, in anticipation of Christmas, it is well to be aware of the hazards involved in unwise gifts and of the duty on those who make gifts to see that they are used properly.

The parent who gives a child a bicycle, skates, a sleigh, a tricycle, an archery set, darts, or a ball, should instruct the child how to use such a plaything safely and also his responsibility for the safety of others.

Lead poisoning has resulted among young children who have licked or chewed lead toys or finished with paints containing a lead compound. Those who make a practice of renovating old toys for Christmas parcels should consult a paint company regarding a paint most suitable for this purpose. All lead-base paints should be avoided.

Generally, toys should be built substantially enough to withstand investigation by a curious user. The eyes of toy animals should be sewn on, not attached with a pin. In the Chicago exhibit there were eyeless animals. The eyes had been swallowed by infants.

Horns, whistles, bubble blowers,

and other noise-making toys should be strong enough to prevent the user sucking parts of it into his throat.

Electric toys should have the Canadian standards label on the cord to ensure safe construction. Toys should be constructed to operate on 6 to 12 volts and a transformer should be included to reduce the regular 110-volt house current to this level.

All chemical sets are potentially dangerous. If a youngster is to have a set he should be taught what each substance is, how it reacts under varying temperatures, if it is flammable, and what the reaction is if it is combined with any of the other substances in the set. He should not be encouraged to mix substances just to see what will happen.

If you are giving a tool chest, be sure the tools are of good quality and that the heads of striking tools, like hammers, are securely attached. Edge tools, such as chisels, should be sharp. A dull tool is more likely to cause injury because the sharp tool works more effectively.

A toy for a baby or very young child should be washable, large enough not to be put in the mouth, ear or nose, light enough not to cause injury if it falls, and it should be non-brittle material, never of glass. Celluloid is undesirable as it presents a sharp edge when broken and is also highly inflammable.

The environment should be considered when buying toys. Roller skates or a tricycle given a child where there are no sidewalks are an invitation to try them on the nearest paved road.

And here are a few pointers about use:

Pencils, crayons, paint brushes, and objects used in construction sets should never be held in the mouth. Serious injuries can result in a fall and broken pieces may be swallowed.

Electric toys should never be handled with wet hands. If a child has been playing in snow, make him change before he plays with an electric train.

Skis, sleighs, and coasters can carry a child to death or serious injury if used on public streets. Skates should not be worn crossing streets.

Balls of all kinds should not be used in the house.

When not in use, toys should be kept in designated places. Many a person has suffered crippling injury in a fall over toys. Adults and children should work together to put toys away until the user is old enough to do it for himself.

Don't spoil Christmas

Christmas is by no means an accident-free season, but it could be kept safe by exercise of common sense and care. The Christmas tree is often the cause of fires. When buying the tree, don't make the purchase too long before it will be used. If it is to be held over more than a week, keep it out of doors, covered with snow, if that is possible. When it is brought inside, the lower 10 inches of the base should be cleared and stripped of leaves and bark and the tree placed in a container of water. This will keep the tree moist and less inflammable.

DRIVE WITH CARE—THE LIFE YOU SAVE MAY BE YOUR OWN

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by Anne Adams

Marvelously shaped for half-sizers—slim in front with modified back interest. The result is the taller, narrower look you love. Lowered waistline gives you a tapered look through midriff.

Printed Pattern 4789: Half-Sizes 14½, 16½, 18½, 20½, 22½, 24½. Size 16½ takes 3½ yards 45-inch fabric.

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Send Fifty Cents (50c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Please print plainly Size, Name, Address, Style Number, to:

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Reduced royalties to benefit trapper

Mtady's preference for mink has brought about a 50 percent reduction in provincial government royalties on beaver pelts.

Hon. Gurney Evans, minister of mines and natural resources, announced that the royalty drop from \$1.00 to 50 cents was confirmed by order-in-council.

The government move is designed to allow trappers a greater margin of profit on depressed prices. Mr. Evans said that 10 percent of selling price is considered a fair royalty. It is roughly estimated that beaver pelts may bring the trapper between \$7 and \$8 this winter. Kits, young beaver, may bring \$3.50 each.

Some 30,000 beaver were taken in Manitoba in 1957. However, dealers in both Winnipeg and Edmonton report surpluses of these pelts. The minister added that high water conditions in recent years have resulted in a large increase in beaver population in Western Canada and Ontario.

While the popularity of beaver has slumped, wild mink has enjoyed both increased demand and good prices. Trappers in Manitoba took 37,000 wild mink—the highest figure on record. A comparatively low royalty on wild mink (\$1.00) coupled with other factors, has tended to compensate those trappers who take both beaver and wild mink.

Mr. Evans said that the Alberta government recently made a similar reduction on beaver royalties. There is no indication, at the present time, that either Saskatchewan or Ontario plan a reduction in royalties.

ROYAL NORTH WEST POLICE

In 1920 the Royal North West Mounted Police was merged with the Dominion Police, a force that had been policing government property in Ottawa and elsewhere and the combined force was renamed the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

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When you 'phone Long Distance

RATES ARE CHEAPER

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PUP AND BOOTS were both kept in mind by the designer of this tray-mat of heavy ribbed polythene. For the pup, it is suggested as an ideal spot for his feeding dish since the plate cannot be nudged off the mat. For winter footwear, the raised edge catches the drips preventing marks on floors and carpets. The tray has many other uses such as holding baby accessories or flower pots. The plastic mat can be easily washed with soap and water and folded out of sight when not in use.

Cookies for Christmas

It's time to make cookies — all kinds and shapes — for your family, for entertaining and for wrapping in pretty Christmas packages. Your favorite family cookies such as oatmeal crisps, date squares and sugar cookies can be Christmas cookies, too. Make them in miniature sizes and decorate some in Christmas colors with bits of cherries, peel, tinted sugar, icing, or tiny colored cake decorations.

In these cookie recipes from Canada's Kitchen you'll find: Something old and something new Maple, nut and cherry, too; Meringue, shortbread, wafer, bar Goodies to fill your cookie jar!

Maple Fruit Meringues (baked or unbaked)

1 cup maple syrup
2 egg whites
1/2 cup seedless raisins
1/2 cup candied lemon peel
1/2 cup chopped figs (optional)
1 cup broken walnuts

Boil syrup to 254 deg. or until it forms a firm ball when dropped into cold water. Beat eggs until stiff but not dry. Pour in hot syrup gradually, beating constantly until mixture stands in firm peaks. Fold in fruit and nuts. Drop by tps. on waxed paper and leave overnight OR drop on lightly greased cookie sheet and bake one hour in very slow oven (200 deg.). Makes 3 dozen.

Cherry Macaroons

1 egg white
Few grains salt
1/4 cup sugar
1 1/2 cups wheat flakes or cornflakes
1/2 cup chopped cherries (candied or maraschino)

Add salt to egg white and beat until stiff but not dry. Add sugar gradually, then fold in flakes and cherries. Drop by tps. on lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake 30 minutes in moderately slow oven (325 deg.). Makes 1 dozen.

Gumdrop Bars

1 cup sifted all-purpose flour
1/2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. baking powder
3/4 cup gumdrops, sliced
2 eggs, beaten until light
1 cup brown sugar
1/2 tsp. almond flavoring

Sift flour, salt and baking powder together and mix in gumdrops. To beaten eggs add sugar and flavoring, then stir in flour mixture, blending well. Spread in greased 9" by 12" pan and bake 20 minutes in moderate oven (350 deg.). Cool, cut in bars. Makes 4 1/2 dozen 1" by 2" bars.

Graham Balls (unbaked)

10 marshmallows, cut in eighths
1 1/2 cups graham wafer crumbs (10 double wafers)
1 egg slightly beaten
1 1/2 cups chopped fruits and nuts (cherries, dates, nuts, etc.)

Mix graham wafer crumbs and marshmallows, add egg and mix thoroughly. Add fruits and nuts. Shape mixture into balls and roll in graham wafer crumbs, icing sugar, chopped nuts or cocoanut. Makes 3 dozen.

The Masai tribesmen of Africa have never adopted the use of the wheel.

Wild goose wings way home

A wild goose "came home" to the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Widdifield, 12 miles northwest of Cabri, after an absence of two and one-half years, apparently to recover from wounds inflicted recently by some hunter's shotgun.

In the fall of '52 Mr. Widdifield brought this wounded goose home from a hunting trip and clipped its wings. It soon recovered completely and shared the yard and hen-house with the rest of the farm poultry.

In the spring of 1956 it began keeping company with some wild ducks that were near by and shortly left with them for the north.

The Widdifields never expected to see it again and were overjoyed Saturday, Nov. 1, when from a flock of geese flying over one detached itself and landed in the yard.

The family went to investigate and at once recognized "their goose." They herded it into the chicken-house with no resistance.

It has a new wound in the chest and apparently remembering the kindness it was shown before, has decided the Widdifield farm is a good place to recuperate. Dumb animals? —The Sun, Swift Current



TAKE TIME TO FLAMEPROOF YOUR TREE

Before decorating your Christmas tree, be sure to treat it with flameproofing material.

This may be done in two ways — by spraying a flame retardant on the branches and needles, or by setting the trunk in a chemical mixture, which the tree absorbs.

Flameproofing compounds can be purchased at most paint stores — or you may be able to get the formulas for flameproofing compounds from your local fire department.

Just to be on the safe side, keep a fire extinguisher within easy reach near the Christmas tree. —The Press, Neepawa, Man.

Traffic accidents don't happen, they're caused. The individual motorist and pedestrian can prevent accidents during Safe-Driving Week, December 1 to 7, and the year around.

Unit vote turned down second time

Ratepayers in the Melville South School Superintendency voted two to one against forming a larger unit when they went to the polls recently for the second time in five years.

Of a total of 5,781 eligible voters, only 3,822 turned out to cast their ballot. The issue was defeated by a majority of 710.

The vote was called by association trustees in an effort to find a solution to the problem, which has become a major-sized headache for them.

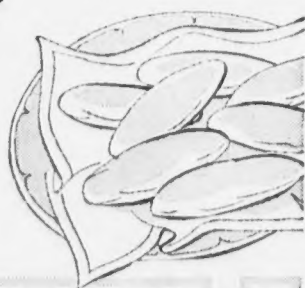
Because of indications given at meetings held in the superintendency during the past year, the possibility has been suggested that apathy on the part of the 1,959 non-voting ratepayers may have been the reason for the plebiscite being defeated.

Affected by the outcome of the vote are 3,000 students who attend schools in the 84 districts forming the superintendency. —The Free Press, Balcarres, Sask.

DRIVE WITH CARE—THE LIFE YOU SAVE MAY BE YOUR OWN

Superlative!

Imagine . . . golden crusted tender rolls made with tangy sour cream! Easy? Definitely, when the yeast is Fleischmann's Active Dry! If you bake at home, bake a pan of these distinctive dinner rolls.



Sour Cream Finger Rolls

1. Scald 1/2 pint (1 1/4 cups) commercial sour cream

Stir in 3 tablespoons granulated sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon butter or margarine.

Cool to lukewarm.

2. Meantime, measure into large bowl 1/2 cup lukewarm water

Stir in 1 teaspoon granulated sugar

Sprinkle with contents of 1 envelope Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast

Let stand 10 minutes, THEN stir well.

Stir in 1/2 teaspoon baking soda

Into lukewarm sour cream mixture, then stir mixture into yeast.

Stir in 1 1/2 cups once-sifted all-purpose flour

and beat until smooth and elastic. Work in an additional 1 1/2 cups (about) once-sifted all-purpose flour

3. Turn out on floured board and knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl. Grease top. Cover. Let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk—about 1 1/2 hour.

4. Punch down dough. Turn out on lightly-floured board and knead until smooth. Divide dough into 3 equal portions; shape each portion into a 12-inch roll and cut into 12 equal pieces. Shape each piece of dough into a roll about 3 inches long. Arrange, about an inch apart, on greased cookie sheets. Grease tops. Cover. Let rise until doubled in bulk—about 40 minutes. Bake in a hot oven, 400°, about 14 minutes. Yield—3 dozen finger rolls.



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"HOLD THAT HEMLINE!"

Are you cropping off the skirt lengths in your wardrobe?

Have you taken to heart the fashion news about the latest short skirt fashions in Paris?

Please, put away your scissors for a minute and hear some words of wisdom on the hemline subject.

France Davies of Montreal, one of the brightest young designers in the Association of Canadian Couturiers, says we news writers make too much fuss about skirt lengths. Headlines that proclaim "16 inches off the floor" as the correct fashionable length are just so much nonsense, she declares.

The skirt length is only one detail of any fashion design, she explains. "Fashion is not a single detail, it is the overall effect." The correct length of any skirt depends entirely on the other style details of the whole garment and must be in proportion to the wearer as well as the style.

Of course, she says, skirt lengths do vary generally shorter or longer as styles change but there can be no exact measurements. As styles change and our eyes become accustomed to shorter skirts, we follow the trends but what is right for one dress is not right for another.

The straight tubular cut of the chemise styles demanded shorter hemlines and while "16 inches off the floor" might be perfect for a tall woman, a short gal trying it would not have much dress left.

The wide flaring trapeze style also required a shorter hemline to keep it from looking too tent-like but the newer Empire styles their lines broken with belts and sashes need to be longer to look right.

Miss Davies points out that the latest hemline headlines vary greatly. The house of Dior dropped hemlines drastically in styles that made use of wide belts. Other fashion leaders kept them short on rounder silhouettes.

The only general advice she feels women should follow is that full skirts can look better shorter than tight ones. For the rest, let your full-length mirror be your guide.

GAMBLE NEWS

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Russell Snell motored to Calgary Wed. and took in the Bingo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Snell, Gordon and Marvel visited at the home of Mrs. Snell's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Abramenko of Scotfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McCracken, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCracken motored to Calgary Sunday and were accompanied home Monday by Terry McCracken who underwent an operation and has been a patient for some time in the Red Cross Children's Hospital. We are glad to report he is happy to be home and is doing very nicely.

The oil well on the George Appleyard place has their Christmas Tree up and decorated. It can be seen for many miles and it is lovely.

The friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McCracken called and made a welcome home party for the McCrackens after their trip to Eastern Canada. They reported a wonderful trip and everyone

enjoyed a grand evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Farrant spent Sunday at the home of her sister Doris Mayes and Merle Anderson.

The Archie Metzger boys spent the weekend in Calgary.

NOTICE OF PREPARATION of ASSESSMENT ROLL 1959 VILLAGE OF CARBON PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that the assessment of the previous year has been adopted under the provisions of The Assessment Act, and that the assessment roll of the said municipality has been duly prepared, and that if any person thinks that any property has been wrongfully assessed, or assessed too high, or too low, or that his name or the name of any other person has been wrongfully entered upon or omitted from the roll, he may at any time prior to the 31st day of January notify the secretary-treasurer in writing of the particulars and grounds of his complaint.

DATED at Carbon this 13th day of December, 1958.

S. F. TORRANCE,
Secretary-Treasurer.

MIDWAY COMMUNITY NOTES

By MRS. H. RICHARDSON

At the home of Mrs. O. Bitner last Wed. a miscellaneous shower was held for Mr. and Mrs. F. Braken (nee Jean Charlton). The honored couple were the recipients of many lovely and useful gifts for which they graciously thanked those present. Lunch was served by the co-hostesses Mrs. S. Elliott and Mrs. A. Thompson.

Bill Reider and Lawrence Hanson are working on an oil rig near Carbon.

Don Johnson of Port Alberni who has been visiting relatives the past two months left for home accompanied by Fred Richardson.

The Bancroft-W.I. Group held their Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Gehring. Mrs. Ken Swanson gave her paper on Agriculture and Canadian Industries.

Flannelette was passed out for the making of layettes for Korea. A draw for exchange of gifts was held, followed by a delicious lunch served by the hostess.

Jim Lore was official delegate to the F.U.A. Convention.

Jim McCulloch also attended the F.U.A. Convention held in Edmonton last week. While in Edmonton Jim had the misfortune to be involved in an accident, having the car badly smashed. Luckily no one was injured.

New inlaid linoleum purchased by the Ladies' Curling Club is now on the floor of the curling rink kitchen and waiting room.

The United Church will hold their Christmas Program and White Gift Service Dec. 21st at 8 p.m. at Midway as usual.

The Anglican Church will have Christmas Service with special music by the Olds Church Choir at 3:30 p.m. on Dec. 21st. Guests would be most welcome at both services.

BANCROFT BUTTERCUPS

On December 13, Bancroft Buttercups W.I.G.C. held their meeting at the home of Dorothy Hoskin and Patricia Hoskin. Each member brought a toy for the fire department as roll call.

The Christmas cards sold by the girls brought \$34.72. Dorothy Hoskin won the raffle. Faye Marsh, Jean Gratz, Pearl Gehring, Linda Hay and the supervisors volunteered as a community to work on the health project.

Mrs. Hoskin handed out material for drawn fabric embroidery. There were several games in a bit of fun. The first one by Jessie Marsh was bowling with clothespins and a marble. Another game was by Jean Gratz. In it we tried to get words out of Happy New Year. The other game was trying to guess the contents of a bag by feeling it. Gifts were exchanged by the girls. Lunch was then served.



KEEP HIM HAPPY

The happy child on the Christmas Seal needs your help to protect him from tuberculosis, a threat in every child's future. The Christmas Seals you buy and use support tuberculosis preventive work all the year round.

BUY AND USE
CHRISTMAS SEALS

LINDEN

We're sorry to hear of the sudden death of Mr. John T. Penner who passed away on Dec. 13. He leaves to mourn three children, Evelyn, Jessie and Clifford; also two brothers and four sisters. Death was caused by a heart attack.

Funeral services were held in the Church of God in Christ.

Pall bearers were Lawrence Reimer, William Davis, Leonard Reimer, Jake Reimer, William Isaacs and Allan Barkman.

ACME

Attention Lady Curlers

There will be a curling meeting held in Wheeler's Office on Monday evening December 29 at 8 p.m. If for any reason you cannot attend this meeting, please let the executive know your wishes before the meeting so that the rinks can be drawn. Thank you.

D. V. Wheeler, Pres.

A fair crowd was in attendance at the Acme Curling Club organization meeting Friday at the rink. It was decided to open the season with a mixed bonspiel, with each rink to have a lady playing third. Entries are to be in to drawmaster Lloyd McKay by Monday noon. Entry fee to mixed bonspiel is to be 50c per person. Season fees were set at \$10 for town members and \$8 for country members; \$4 for Ladies' Club members and \$2 for High School curlers. Curlers will own their brooms which may be obtained from the club. The Bonspiel is to be held the last week in January.

Lunch will be served on the same basis as previous years.

Due to the warm weather starting of the mixed bonspiel has been delayed so you still have time to get your entry in.

The Ladies' Bridge Club met at the home of Madeline Benson Thursday evening Dec. 11. High score was held by Mary Ellis with second going to Billie Smith. The next bridge will be held at the home of Mary Ellis on Thursday January 8th.

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DRUMHELLER DISTRICT
AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

Build holiday meals around cooked turkey

HOMEMADE TURKEY VEGETABLE SOUP

Place broken turkey carcass in large kettle and pour in cold water to almost cover the pieces. (For a 20 to 24 pound turkey carcass allow about 9 cups of water). Add a 20 or 28-ounce can of tomatoes, about one cup each of chopped celery and onion and season with salt, pepper and about one-half teaspoon poultry seasoning. Cover, bring to a boil and simmer one and a half hours.

Remove bones and strip off meat. To the kettle add the meat, one-half cup uncooked noodles (or rice) and one package (11 ounces) frozen mixed vegetables. Cover and simmer until noodles (or rice) are tender, about 20 minutes.

EASY TURKEY PIE

Combine 2 cans undiluted cream of chicken soup, 2 cups medium-sized pieces of cooked turkey and 1 to 1½ cups cooked frozen or canned peas. Season with pepper but do not add any salt. Turn into a shallow 8-cup casserole.

Make up pastry dough using 1 cup flour or biscuit dough using 2 cups flour. Cut slits in pastry and arrange over filling, or roll out biscuit dough into an 8-inch round, cut into 6 pie-shaped pieces and arrange over filling. Bake in a very hot oven (425 deg. F.) until golden brown, 25 to 30 minutes. Six servings.

TURKEY WALDORF SALAD

Dice two red apples and combine with two cups cooked turkey, one and a half cups chopped celery, one-half cup each of chopped walnuts and mayonnaise. Chill thoroughly.

Serve in lettuce cups. Garnish each salad with one tablespoon mayonnaise, a walnut half and three or four overlapping thin slices of quartered and cored, unpeeled apples. Six servings.

STUFFED CELERY SALAD

Separate and clean stalks of celery. Stuff stalks with cream cheese to which finely chopped stuffed olives or pimiento and chopped chives or green onion have been added for color. Put celery stalks back together, wrap in waxed paper and chill until firm. For each salad serve 3 or 4 half-inch slices of the stuffed celery on lettuce leaves, with a mound of mayonnaise on the side. Garnish with stuffed olives, if desired.

MOULDED CABBAGE AND CRANBERRY WREATH

Dissolve a package of lime jelly powder according to the directions, but adding a little vinegar and salt for seasoning. Pour a thin layer of the jelly mixture into a 4-cup round or ring mould (or use individual jelly moulds). Arrange sliced raw cranberries to form a red wreath around the bottom of the mould. Allow this to set until firm.

Finely shred about 2 cups cabbage and fold into remaining jelly mixture which has been chilled until only slightly thickened. Pour this over the firmly set cranberries in mould. Chill until firm. To serve, unmould on lettuce.

The hyena "laughs" when it is in search of food.

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LONG DISTANCE IS *Cheaper* THAN YOU THINK ... use it often



Deep freeze will guard your health

Have you ever killed a hog or beef for home use, put it in your freezer, thinking you have meat for months ahead, and then found only a week or two later that half the carcass is uneatable? Many have experienced this—but in fact it need not happen at all.

What most people don't know about cold storage of meat is that it must first be aged and then quick frozen at very low temperatures before being put into the normal home freezer. If this is not done, there may be partial decay particularly in the centre of large cuts. Correct pre-preparation of meat is one of the services that are provided by frozen food locker plants. These plants will, at reasonable cost, cut the carcass expertly into roasts, steaks, etc., give the meat the necessary processing to keep its goodness and flavor, and deliver it to you for putting in your own home freezer. You can then be assured of its remaining in perfect condition for six to twelve months, according to the type of meat.

There are over 200 locker operators in Saskatchewan alone, and they employ skilled butchers to do their meat preparation. The carcass is cut up into sizeable steaks, chops and roasts, and the trim is made into hamburger, and in the case of pork, turned into sausages according to your requirements. After the meat is cut into required portions, it is wrapped in a vapor-proof wrapping paper.

The paper used in wrapping meat in locker plants is a different product from the ordinary manilla waxed paper used in retail butcher stores. This paper has to have a vaporproof coating or lining which will prevent the entrance of air into the package after it is wrapped. It also pre-

vents the extraction of moisture from the meat when it is stored at zero temperatures.

The meat is then put into the low - temperature, quick - freeze cabinet where it is frozen at temperatures ranging from 15 to 35 below zero. This quick-freezing process is necessary to eliminate the break-down of the meat tissues which would result from slow freezing at a higher temperature.

When meat is slow frozen, juices in the meat form large globules of ice in the tissues, and then when the meat is taken out and thawed for cooking, these large globules of ice melt, and an excessive amount of moisture and goodness is lost. However, when meat is frozen at very low temperatures quickly, the ice formation is in the form of very tiny granules of ice, evenly spaced throughout the tissues of the meat.

The meat packages are kept for up to twelve hours in the quick-freeze cabinet before being taken out and stored in the steel lockers in the locker storage room, ready for you to collect and put into your home freezer. These meat products can be stored at zero temperatures for up to one year in the case of beef, six months in the case of pork, and approximately eight or nine months for poultry.

(Courtesy of Saskatchewan Locker Operators Association)

Junior's self-confidence

A child's self-confidence can be developed if his parents do not place too much emphasis on his winning at games or school. He will benefit from the understanding of his family if there is never ridicule, or anger at failure or low marks. He should not be made to feel that he is loved only for his successes.

Barley champ at Golden Prairie

Miss Elaine Sawby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Sawby of Golden Prairie, was recently informed that she was the Wheat Pool barley champion of Saskatchewan. Her Wheat Pool barley test plot averaged out better than any other in the province.

Her Husky barley averaged 98.3 bushels to the acre, Trail barley 109.2 bus. per acre, Parkland barley 99.2 bus. per acre, Montcalm barley 109.2 bus. per acre, Vantage barley 121.3 bus. per acre.

If the above figures can be any indication it would appear that Vantage barley is the type to grow in the Golden Prairie district for best results.—The News, Maple Creek, Sask.

"Few bad habets"

Employees in the Newport Post Office have found a young man who doesn't try to kid Santa Claus. He admits he has a "few bad habets".

They found a letter without a stamp and decided to open it just in case it contained some "emergency" request. This is what they read:

"Dear Santa:
"I have a few bad habets.
"I don't eat all my vegetables that I don't like.
"I don't stop when I am told to.
"Sometimes I argue back, but Santa I don't mean to, and if I am good will you please bring me the follering toys for Christmas:
"40 armymen.
"One set of planes.
"Hoody Doody puppett.
"One cowboy hat.
"Ime eight years and in third grade thank you."

Cantons are the names given to the states in the Swiss federacy.

Woman's Way



MADELINE LEVASON

"TOO MUCH TIME"

Ever wish you could stay in bed for a week? I have wished it many times, always adding the rider — "not ill, of course, just resting."

Well I got my wish and it was awful. I wasn't ill, just nursing a sore ankle.

Kind friends brought me sympathy, tasty food, flowers and interesting things to read. My enforced immobility gave me a perfect alibi for not working. I had nothing to do but lie back and rest, enjoy being waited on, listen to the radio and catch up on my reading.

Did I enjoy it? Not a minute. A bear with a sore paw had nothing on me. I was miserable. But I learned a few lessons.

I learned I don't need nearly as much sleep as I always thought. Longing for another hour or so when the alarm goes off at seven is just nonsense. I wake up at the same time anyway.

Also sleep is something we have to earn by exercising and it is hard to come by when we are not active. The bed isn't a bit cosy either, when the sun is shining through the windows.

Longing for a chance to catch up on reading is another fallacy. I found that like a lot of other activities, you manage to do more when you are busy.

Worst of all, the world goes on its merry way without your absence dislocating anything. No matter how rushed your daily schedule was, no matter how many things you were supposed to be doing, the fact you are not there causes hardly a ripple.

As the days go by that longed-for leisure seems interminable.

It is just wonderful to be up and around and busy, busy again.



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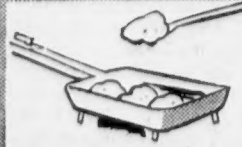
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Turn out into broad saucepan or electric frypan
1 can (approx. 15 ounces) cherries and syrup
Add and stir until sugar is dissolved
½ cup granulated sugar
½ cup water
Cover and bring just to boiling point.



Meantime, sift together into a bowl
1½ cups once-sifted pastry flour
or 1½ cups once-sifted all-purpose flour
2½ teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons granulated sugar
Cut in finely
2 tablespoons chilled shortening
Mix in
½ teaspoon grated orange rind



Make a well in dry ingredients and add
½ cup milk
and mix lightly with a fork, adding more milk, if necessary, to make a drop dough. Drop by large spoonfuls over cherries. Cover and simmer 15 minutes, without lifting lid. Serve immediately. Yield: 4 or 5 servings.

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ACME

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Greenway have left to spend Christmas in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harriman are leaving to spend Christmas in Florida with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harriman and family of High River were Sunday visitors at the Harriman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore have returned from an extended visit to Chilliwack, Sidney, Vancouver and Victoria with relatives and friends.

Are you interested in a badminton Club. Three courts are available at the school. Leave your name at the Sentinel Office.

Thieves entered the Acme Creamery Saturday night and damaged the safe in forcing the outside door but were unsuccessful in getting the safe open—taking only a few packs of cigarettes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith will hold open house on Boxing Day Dec. 26th in the afternoon from 2 to 5 and in the evening from 7 to 9, the occasion being J.C.'s 80th birthday.

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Memorial Committee have purchased a plaque in memory of loved ones and friends from the fund donated by loved ones and friends. An altar and drapes for the front of the church have also been purchased from this fund. This plaque will be dedicated January 4th at the regular service.

Ray Davis underwent an operation in Calgary Hospital on Wednesday and at last reports was coming along fine.

At the regular morning service of the Acme United Church the installation of the officers of the W.A. organizations, also W.M.S. officers were installed by Rev. Mr. Fowler. For Afternoon W.A. Group:

Hon. Pres.....Mrs. M. Fowler
President.....Miss Lena Loewen
1st Vice-Pres.....Mrs. H. Boake
2nd Vice.....Mrs. Mary Eitzen
Secretary Mrs. Clarence Smith
Treasurer.....Mrs. A. Harriman

For the Evening Group:
President.....Mrs. Ken Jackson
Secretary Mrs. Glenn Jackson
Treasurer Mrs. Lloyd Jackson

For the W.M.S.:
President.....Mrs. M. Fowler
Secretary.....Mrs. Ray Davis
Treasurer.....Mrs. A. Greenway

Beiseker

A re-organization meeting of the Ladies Curling Club was held Monday Dec. 15 with a good attendance. Six rinks signed up, also several spares. The officers are Pres. Mary Simmonds; Sec. Shirley Todd; Treasurer, Billy Olsen.

Signed up rinks are:
Elsie Martin, Elsie Berreth, Marjorie Kroschel, Dorothy Balderson.

Lucille Lang, Ruby Reddekopp, Audrey Ternes, Leah Uffelman.

Mary Simmonds, Elaine Bunyan, Shirley Todd, Patsy Tetz, Mary Velker, Edna Ruthford, Roudie Hagel, Birdie Martin.

Billie Olsen, Rita Stinn Sarah Rau, Margaret Schmatz, Ruth Schmatz, Evelyn Krenzler, Lil Henderson, Bernice Verbeek.

Spares—Lauretta Schmatz, Mrs. Don Smith, Barbara Olsen and Mrs. Edy.

If there are any women interested in curling please con-

tact Pres. Mary Simmonds 3262 or Shirley Todd, Secretary at 3296.



SELZLER—HENRICKS

White and yellow chrysanthemums decorated St. Mary's Cathedral recently for the wedding of Evelyn Christina, daughter of Mrs. Byron Henricks, Irricana, and the late Mr. Henricks, and James Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Selzler of Beiseker.

Escorted to the altar by her uncle, Norman J. Henricks, the bride wore a gown of Chantilly lace and net over satin, embroidered with seed pearls, brill-

liants and sequins. A pearl embroidered illusion veil misted from a coronet of pearls, brilliants and sequins and she carried a prayer book covered with red roses and white chrysanthemums. Her jewelry was a pearl ring, the gift of the groom.

The bride's attendants, Mrs. John Verbeek, Miss Barbara Henricks, Miss Jo Ann Henricks and Nielle Henricks wore identical gowns of blue velvet with fitted bodices and bouffant skirts. Matching velvet picture hats completed their costumes, and they carried nosegays of pink carnations and white daisy chrysanthemums.

The groom's brother, Leo Selzler, Vancouver, was best man. Newton Henricks and Harvey Olsen were ushers.

Father Edward Flannigan officiated at the double ring ceremony. Miss Celine Stang was soloist.

Reception was held in the Flesta Room of the Beacon Hotel where the bride's cousin, Norman Kirkwold proposed the toast.

For the honeymoon trip to Banff the bride wore a brown wool dress and fur jacket with matching accessories.

Three million food packages as personal gifts from Canadians and Americans have been set as the goal of CARE's 1958 annual Food Crusade to help feed hungry peoples around the world.

Each package contains 22 lbs. of surplus food—flour, milk powder, corn meal and cheese—enough to supplement the diet of four persons for one month. One package can be sent for a \$1 contribution.

An average of 11 million people a month receive supplementary food thru CARE distributions in the needy areas of the world.



Stuck... with last-minute Christmas shopping problems?

HERE'S A TIP FOR BUSY SANTAS...

If your gift-list doesn't seem to be getting any shorter, make a quick trip to your local B of M branch. See if you don't agree that it's the ideal gift shop for those "hard-to-buy-for" people on your list.

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